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To: Microsoft ATR
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Subject: Proposed Microsoft Settlement

Dear DOJ,

Please do not ratify the proposed Microsoft settlement. This settlement does not go far enough to be effective in preventing Microsoft from continuing with its blatant anti-competitive behavior. In addition to the immediate problems Microsoft causes in the computer software industries, its anti-competitive strategies cause widespread harm to U.S. productivity, thanks to the number of people who use Microsoft's inferior products only because of the difficulty they have finding viable ways to work around its monopoly. Please make sure that any settlement addresses these problems; the current proposal does not.

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